



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Michael E. Wilmer

FOR: **MULTICAST WIRELESS
AD HOC PACKET ROUTING**

SERIAL NO. **09/866,097**

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ART UNIT NO: **2661**

EXAMINER: **Unassigned**

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**Declaration of Jerry W. Rice
Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

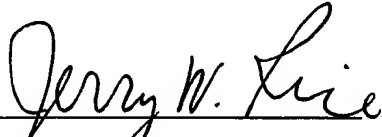
1. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application referenced above or any patent issued thereon.

2. In or about May 2002, I was informed that the above referenced application was submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, naming Michael E. Wilmer as the sole inventor. Shortly thereafter, I had an opportunity to review the specification and claims in the subject application. I also discussed my contributions toward the development of the methods and apparatus claimed in the application with John Murray. During our discussion, I was informed that a copy of the March 16, 2000 meeting notes, reflecting the initial, substantive discussion of the methods and apparatus claimed in the application by and between Michael Wilmer, John Murray, Robert Mehranfar and myself

was forwarded to Counsel for PEMSTAR Pacific Consultants, Inc. (PPC). Mr. Murray further informed me that he reviewed the March 16 meeting notes with Counsel for PPC and specifically discussed the contributions of the additional meeting attendees, namely John Murray, Robert Mehranfar and myself, toward the methods and apparatus claimed in the application and that Counsel concluded that my contributions warranted being added as a named inventor.

3. The error in inventorship was thus inadvertent and, hence, occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

Executed this 17 day of October, 2002 at Mountain View, California.



Jerry W. Rice